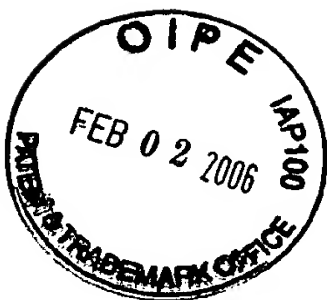


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For: COMPUTER SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR)
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Date of Final Office Action:)
September 2, 2005)

Date of Advisory Action)
December 28, 2005)

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**AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION (37 CFR 1.116) and
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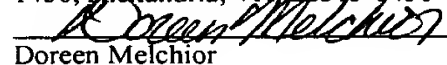
Dear Sir:

Responsive to the Final Office Action of September 2, 2005, and the Advisory Action of 12/28/05, Applicant respectfully requests amendment of the application as follows:

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